

## **PATENT**

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For: QUANTUM DOT TUNABLE EXTERNAL CAVITY LASERS (QD-7

LASERS)

Honorable Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

## **RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the office action dated September 3, 2002, the applicants respectfully requests that the application be amended as follows:

## In the Drawings

Permission is respectfully requested to substitute the attached drawings for those presently on file.

## In the Specification

Please replace the paragraph commencing at line 15, page 7 by the following paragraph: